

REMARKS

Applicant filed a Response to the Office Action dated February 23, 2006 on June 8, 2006. Responsive thereto, Applicant received a Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (copy enclosed herewith) for failing to properly identify the status of the each and every claim. Applicant has revised the parenthetical identifiers associated with claims 12 and 13. As presented herein, Applicant believes the status of each and every claim has been appropriately identified. Accordingly, Applicant requests entry and consideration of the claims presented herein. Applicant also requests consideration of the remarks supporting patentability previously presented in the Response filed June 8, 2006. In view of the claims presented herein and consideration of the remarks presented in the Response of June 8, 2006, Applicant believes the present application is in condition for allowance. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests a Notice of Allowance of claims 1-22.

Although no fees are believed payable with this paper, the Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account 50-1170 for any fees that may be assessed. Furthermore, the Examiner is cordially invited to contact the undersigned if any informal matters remain which would hinder passage of the above-captioned matter to issuance.

Respectfully submitted,
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